



Product Safety and Regulatory Affairs

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Mike Leavitt, Administrator U.S. Environmental Protection Agency P.O. Box 1473 Merrifield, VA 22116

Re: HPV Chemical Challenge Program, Amendment of Commitment on CAS Nos. 64741884, 64742525, 64742547, and 64742650

Dear Mr. Leavitt:

Crompton Corporation on 30 November and 22 December 1999, informed you that it was sponsoring CAS Nos. 64741884, 64742525, 64742547, and 64742650 under the HPV Chemical Challenge Program as follows:

CAS Number	Chemical Name	Start Year
	Distillates (petroleum), solvent-refined heavy paraffinic	2003
64742525	Distillates (petroleum), hydrotreated heavy naphthenic	2003
64742547	Distillates (petroleum), hydrotreated heavy paraffinic	2003
64742650	Distillates (petroleum), solvent-dewaxed heavy paraffinic	2003

Through this letter, we are informing you that Crompton Corporation will not sponsor CAS Nos. 64741884, 64742525, 64742547, and 64742650 under the HPV Chemical Challenge Program. We are amending our commitment on these CAS Nos. because we are only processors of these chemicals, not producers or importers.

Crompton's commitment for the remaining CAS Nos. listed in our 30 November 1999 and 22 December 1999 letters to you remains intact.

Should you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me directly at (203) 573-2219. My fax number is (203) 573-4531.

Sincerely yours,

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